



Sunday Worship — 8:45 AM & 11:15 AM

April 6, 2025

5th Sunday in Lent

Welcome and Announcements

Video “Awkward Invite Easter”

Prelude Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus WEBB

\* The Chiming of the Hour & Entering the Light of Christ

\* Call to Worship

\* Prayer of Invocation

\* Passing of the Peace

\* Hymn Jesus Shall Reign vs 1-5 UMH #157

\* Affirmation of Faith

\* Gloria Patri UMH #70

Pastoral Prayer/The Lord’s Prayer (In Unison)

Celebrating Grace by The Return of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory All My Trials—Spiritual Chancel Choir  
Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us—Olivia Huggins, piano (11:15)

\* The Doxology UMH #94

Offertory Prayer

The Children’s Message

\* Hymn of Prep. Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days vs 1,3 UMH #269

Sermon Text Mark 14:32-42 (NIV)

Prayer of Preparation

Sermon “Gethsemane” Pastor J.R. Virgin (8:45)  
Pastor Len Kircher (11:15)

Communion (8:45) (11:15)

\* Hymn of Response Jesus, Lover of My Soul vs 1,3 UMH #479

\* Benediction

Postlude Spanish Hymn Traditional

\* please stand if able

Church Calendar Meetings

Bible Studies to Grow in Faith

Men’s Bible Study: Every Thursday, Discovery Classroom, 8:00 a.m.

Bible Study: Experiencing the Heart of Jesus by Max Lucado, every Thursday, 10:00 a.m., Sanctuary.

Revelation Bible Study, Tuesdays, 10:00, Sanctuary. If interested email John Finnical at jrfinnical@gmail.com

Counseling by Appointment, Tuesday & Thursday, 10 :00 am—1pm. Contact Fran Keller at 843-833-3980. (By appointment only.)

Committee Meetings & The Work of the Church

Video Series by Pastor Louie Giglio, Thursday, April 3, 11:00 am, Sanctuary.

Gardening Volunteering, every Tuesday, 9:30 am—11:30 am. If interested, Email Angela Bass acbass95@gmail.com

Golf meeting, Tuesday, April 8, 2025, 10:00 am, Berly Hall.

SPWM Women’s Meeting, Tuesday, April 8, 2025, 12:00 noon, Berly Hall. Bring a bagged lunch.

Finance meeting, Tuesday, April 15, 2025, 2:00 pm, Discovery Classroom.

Church Council, Tuesday, April 29, 2025, 2:00 pm, Sanctuary.

Myrtle Beach Pelican game, Tuesday, May 6, 2025, 6:35 p.m.. For details see Bob Maffa or Gene Posey.

Trustee Board Meeting, Tuesday, May 13, 2025, 5:00 p.m., Truth Seekers Classroom.

Ladies’ Luncheon and Fashion Show Fundraiser, Saturday, May 17, 2025, 11:30 am—2:00 pm, Berly Hall. For info see Ann Mickle.

Next Mission Committee Meeting, Monday, May 19, 2025, 2:00 pm., Joy Classroom.

The Church Golf tournament Wednesday, June 11, 2025 at Wachesaw East Golf Course. Please go to https://spwmethodist.org/. Once there, scroll down and select the button titled “St. Paul’s Waccamaw Golf Registration Form” found above the calendar of events! Any questions, please ask Bill Alexander or Gene Posey.

The Ministry of Music

Handbells, (Wednesdays), 5:00 p.m.

Chancel Choir Rehearsal, (Wednesdays), 6:30 p.m.

Modern band Rehearsal, (Thursdays), 7:00 p.m.

Encouragement, Activities, and Community Gatherings

AA, Tues., Thurs, Fri., at 7:00 p.m., Joy Classroom.

Students in the Word, Mon—Thursday (Truth Seekers & Wings Classrooms) Friday in (Berly Hall) 7:30 a.m.—2:45 p.m.

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Monday—Thursday. Closed on Friday. If you have an emergency, please call Alice at 704-779-9133 or Rev. J. R. Virgin at 814-244-5654.

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\* Song of Praise Goodbye Yesterday

I Know A Name

Welcome

\* Song of Praise Heart Of The Father

Time of Prayer

Holy Communion

Offering Jesus Changed My Life

The Children’s Message

Video

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\* Closing Song Washed By The Water

\* Benediction

\* Please stand if able

## SAVE THE DATES

### A Message From SPRC

Please join us on April 6 between services in Berly Hall to welcome our new Associate Pastor, Shawn Lehman and his family to St. Paul's! They are thrilled to be a part of our church and to get to know each of you!

Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup> - Maundy Thursday - There will be a worship service in the Sanctuary with Holy Communion at 6:30pm.

Friday, April 18<sup>th</sup> - Good Friday - The Sanctuary will be open for prayer and worship from Noon - 3pm.

Sunday, April 20<sup>th</sup> - Sunrise Service - Will be held on the Clubhouse Deck at Litchfield by the Sea, 6:30am.

**Easter Egg Hunt, Sunday, April 13th.** During the Sunday School hour, we will take an adventure of crafts, games, and an egg hunt. Come join the fun and learn more about Jesus and his love for you. Easter baskets will be provided.

**Bible Study – Who Is Jesus?** Every Tuesday, 10:00 a.m., Discovery classroom starting May 6 – June 10. "...Before Abraham was born, 'I Am'" John 8:58. Please contact Roslyn Keck if interested at 843-651-1608 or email: roslynkeck1@gmail.com.

### 2025 Ecumenical Lenten Service Schedule

#### Services begin at 12:00 p.m., followed by a light lunch

April 9, at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, sermon by Rev. Eric Spatz

### SPWM Women's Meeting

Join us for our April 8th meeting in Berly Hall at 12 noon. St. Paul's continues to "Spring" forth with new growth and a firm commitment to our Lord and Savior! The focus of our April meeting is to strengthen our relationships within the sisterhood of our blossoming church family by getting to know one another while we work together to do God's work. As the old song says "Make New Friends and Keep the Old, one is Silver and the other is Gold".

Please bring a brown bag lunch, beverages and dessert will be provided. Shawn Lehman our new Associate Pastor will drop by to say hello and to offer a devotion.

### "TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME"

On May 6, 2025 the Myrtle Beach Pelicans will play the Delmarva Shorebirds at Pelican Park. Game time is 6:35 P.M. Tickets are \$20 each. Pastor JR will throw out the first pitch and our church choir will sing the National Anthem. We will sit together as a group. To purchase tickets please see Bob Maffa or Gene Posey.

### Brick Walkway Update

With a flurry of brick orders received on March 31 we have exceeded our goal of 178 Engraved Bricks by around 20. The exact number will be announced next week. The Brick Team thanks the congregation for their continual support of this project. We will make some minor modifications to the walkway layout to accommodate these additional bricks. We will continue our search to find a suitable brick layer.

## Our Faithfulness

### OUR PRESENCE: Sunday, March 30, 2025

8:45	Sunday Service	199
8:45	Online Service Views	139
10:00	Sunday School	30
10:00	Town Hall Meeting	150
11:00	Sunday Service	148
11:00	Online Service Views	239
11:15	Sunday Service	24

### OUR SERVICE: Sunday, April 6, 2025

**Altar Flowers:** Our Lenten Flowers today are given to the Glory of God.

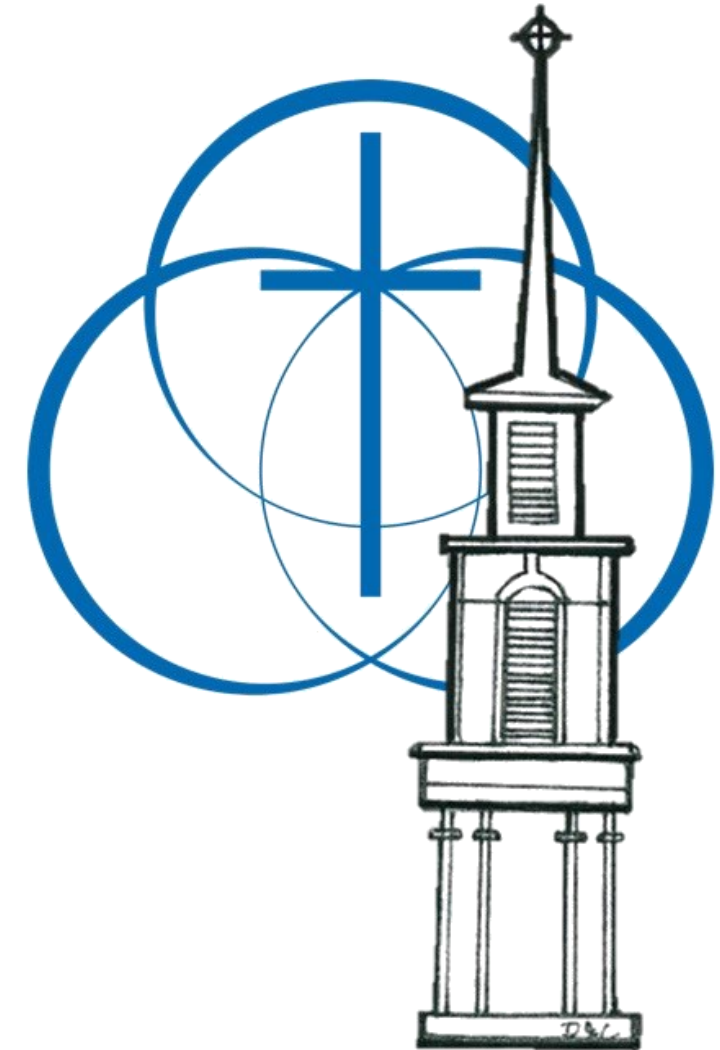
**Altar Guild:** Kaye Miller

8:45	<b>Acolyte:</b> Kyle Player
8:45	<b>Ushers:</b> Bill Hoyle, Darlene Duchene, Patty Younts
8:45	<b>Communion Servers:</b> Angela & Travis Bass, Susan Payne and Jeff Waisner
8:45	<b>Livestream:</b> Patti Kircher
8:45	<b>Video:</b> Fred Harris

11:00	<b>Ushers:</b> Leslie Hare and Barbara McCracken
11:00	<b>Communion Servers:</b> Delisa Staton and Pam Gardner
11:00	<b>Livestream:</b> Charles Estabrook
11:00	<b>Video:</b> Steve Staton

11:15 **Ushers:** Frank Slater, Bob Carson, Mary Anna Neill and Michael Neill

8:45	<b>Audio:</b> George Leyendecker
11:00	<b>Audio:</b> Susan Lewis



## **St. Paul's Waccamaw Methodist Church**

*Lead Pastor: Rev. J. R. Virgin*  
*Preaching Pastor: Rev. Len Kircher*  
*April 6, 2025*

### Worship Services

8:45 am: Traditional Service

11:00 am: Modern Service

11:15 am: Traditional Service

10:00 am: Sunday School

Email: [office@spwmethoist.org](mailto:office@spwmethoist.org)

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## Sermon Notes

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### Weekly Bible Reading

Apr 6: Jud 19-21

Apr 7: Ruth

Apr 8: 1Sam 1-3

Apr 9: 1Sam 4-8

Apr 10: 1Sam 9-12

Apr 11: 1Sam 13-14

Apr 12: 1Sam 15-17